Lac La Biche Herald

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LAC LA BICHE LOCAL NEWS

LA LA BICHE — Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Doyle went to Edmonton and Legal to spend New Year's with their parents.

Red Davies who works for Westby Geophysical Corp., played with the Lac la Biche hockey team at Boyle January 2. Lac la Biche won 4-1.

The Westby Geophysical Corp. is transferring to Boyle Tuesday, December 4. It has been working southwest of here towards Boyle.

A gravitymeter crew is doing its work by rail, travelling to and fro by push car.

Mr. Emil Richards has sold his general store to Patterson and Co. who took over the business Monday, Dec. 3.

Gill net fishing in most of the lakes in the Lac la Biche district since the opening date has been poor. Several lakes will open on February 1, and a number on March 1. It is expected that a fair price will be obtained during March.

Lac la Biche at present is closed to all gill net fishing except for domestic use. The domestic license permits the holder to set 60 yards of 5½-inch nets on Wednesday at 8:00 o'clock and lift by 12:00 noon on Thursday each week until the 31st of March, 1949. Fish caught on this license is for table use only and is not to be sold or bartered.

Lac la Biche is being tested at present by inspectors and fishermen jointly with different sized nets to determine the progress of the young fish population.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fischer spent Christmas in High Prairie with his family.

Miss Olga Osadchuk spent the holidays with relatives in Red Water.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Plamondon from Athabasca spent New Year's with relatives here.

SPRUCE VALLEY DISTRICT NEWS

SPRUCE VALLEY — A dance will be held at Spruce Valley hall on January 8. Everyone is invited out to a grand time. This dance is a celebration of Ukrainian Christmas.

A Farmers' Union meeting was held at Spruce Valley on Sunday, December 26. The union members chose Mr. Pete Homeniuk and Mr. Nick Zilinski as delegates to the convention in Calgary. The convention will be held from January 11 to 14.

A holy mass was held at The Lady of Perpetual church at Willow Flat on Christmas day. A lot of people attended the service.

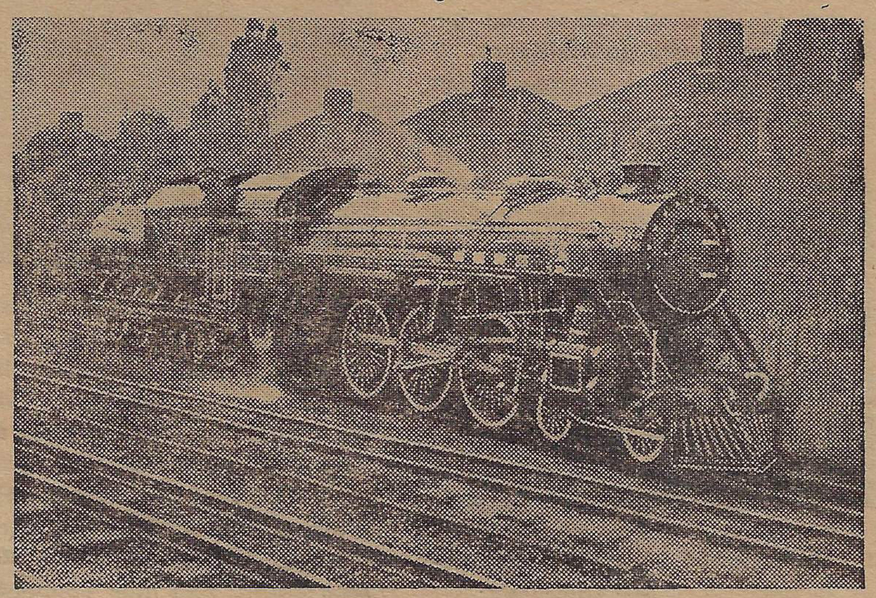
VIOLATE ACT

At Barrie, Ont., December 3, Earl Walters, R.R. 1, Beamsville, was fined $20 and costs for having in possession for sale peaches which were below the minimum grade.

At Barrie, Ont., December 3, Joseph Caruso of Barrie, Ont., was fined $20 and costs for selling produce which had been placed under detention without having received a release issued by an inspector.

These actions were taken under the provisions of the Farm Products Grades and Sales Act of the Province of Ontario.

New Locomotive for Nova Scotia



Christened "Winston Churchill" by Master Duncan Sandys, grandson of the great war-leader, a scale model Canadian Pacific locomotive which hauls trains on the smallest public railway in the world is being shipped to Toronto, where it will be exhibited at the Robert Simpson Store for two months, before moving on to Halifax, Nova Scotia. The Romney, Hythe and Dymchurch Light Railway, from which the locomotive comes, is a properly constituted railway by Act of Parliament, in spite of its miniature stock and total length of 14 miles.
The new engine "Winston Churchill" on the Momney, Hythe and Dymchurch miniature railway.

St. Catherine's Hospital News

Lac la Biche

BIRTHS:

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blais of Briereville, a daughter on December 29.

RECEIVING MEDICAL TREATMENT:

Mrs. Stanley Mischuk of Plamondon, Mrs. Fred Pruden of Lac la Biche, Mrs. Joseph Malouvet of Egg Lake, Mrs. John Fischer of Charron, James Crawford of Mile 137, Mrs. Dan Soliski of Frains, Mrs. Joseph Duigou of Atmore, Mrs. Charles Heron of Lac la Biche, Mr. Joseph Cote of Donatville.

Mr. George Linnen is seen up and about on crutches which means he expects to leave the hospital soon.

GOURIN NEWS

GOURIN—A surprise party was given by the Louis Ulliac family on December 20 in honor of their father's birthday. Mr. Louis Ulliac celebrated his 47th anniversary. Many happy returns of the day, Mr. Louis Ulliac.

On December 23 a Christmas concert was held in Gourin school. The pupils were greeted with gifts and Christmas treats and the concert was very successful.

A party was held in the Jean Ulliac home, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Jean Ulliac and family, on December 26. Friends and relatives attended, and everybody had a wonderful time. I take this opportunity on behalf of all who attended to thank the Jean Ulliac family for making this most enjoyable evening possible.

Now I take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy and prosperous New Year.

BLUE JAY NEWS

BLUE JAY — Mr. Mickey Shopka overturned his truck while turning off the highway onto the Blue Jay road. The accident was believed to have happened because the corner was very sharp and slippery. The truck was not damaged to any extent. It was righted by Mr. Joe Garik with his tractor.

Mr. Louis Ilnicki had guests for supper on New Year's eve.

Mr. Paul Karpetz and Mr. Adashinsky have returned from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Ilnicki of Grassland visited Mr. and Mrs. Rogalski on New Year's day.

Miss Kay Greyguo has left for Lyle Lake where she is supervising the school.

GRASSLAND NEWS

GRASSLAND — Miss Jeannie Diatel and Miss Rosie Ilnicki are to be the maids-of-honor for Miss Mary Storniak's birthday dance to be held on January 7 at Grassland school.

Two-Way Clothes Pins

LAC LA BICHE — The clothes pin factory is at the point of producing. In the last few days it has been trial testing for efficiency and with a few adjustments will be producing at a regular rate in a few days.

Mr. Gimby's invention of this two-way pin will be a tremendous help to the housewife. Either end of the pin can be used. It will not come apart easily and will not stick to the clothes. The pin itself is of three pieces, two wooden indented plaques held fast with a specially cut synthetic rubber band.

Lac la Biche poplar lumber will be used in making these pins.

Wandering River News

WANDERING RIVER — The bridge gang is back to work from the Christmas holidays. One bridge is already completed and there are five more to do. Breynat is to have a steel bridge.

The oil units have moved to Breynat to commence duties January 3, bulldozing roads north to make way for the machinery.

A dance was held at Lyle Lake school. A gramophone was raffled and George W. Franchuk was the lucky winner.

Johhny Karpetz was hurt in the Imperial bush and was rushed to Athabasca hospital. He is now recovering rapidly.

Council Considers Action on School Tax

LAC LA BICHE—A Special meeting of the village council was held December 29 to consider further what action to take regarding the excessive requisition made on the village by the school division.

This is the third year the village has been asked to pay several thousand dollars for educational purposes in excess of an equitable proportion and despite efforts to secure some relief no immediate result is apparent.

Council unanimously resolved to withhold payment pending a satisfactory adjustment. This resolution was no snap one, it was carefully considered and passed whatever the consequences. The council is in duty bound to protect the interests of their citizens, and cannot cravenly submit to this unequal burden.

To enable the skating rink to function in the interest of the community, and of the children particularly, a donation of $100 was authorized.

Lengthen the Life Of Your Kitchen Utensils

Did your family give you something for your kitchen that you had wanted for years? Lengthen the life of your kitchen gadgets and utensils by giving them the right start. Here are a few hints for the nave been on the label.

Porcelain enamel is a glass-like finish. Before you first use it, fill the pan with cold water and bring the water slowly to a boil over low heat. Pour off the water and allow the pan to cool down.

Cast iron is practically a must for many of your favorite dishes. Scour well, wash, rinse and dry. Then rub melted, salt free shortening on the inside. Keep it at low heat for an hour. Remember that skillets and griddles with buckle and warp if left over heat before food is put in.

Glassware is all ready to go when you buy it — but do start it on low heat to let it get warmed up. And you never do place hot pyrex on cold or wet surfaces, do you?

Treat pottery as you would pyrex. Pottery, will last longer if you set it in a pan of cold water and boil slowly for one-half hour. Cool an asbestos mat under it and slow it gradually. Pottery always needs care of your utensils that may not heat.

Weather

Lac la Biche

For week ending 05:30 p.m. Monday, January 3, 1949:

Maximum	26.8
Minimum	-31.3

CARDIFF NEWS

CARDIFF — Recently an engagement between Helen Grant and James Rousseau was disclosed. Helen is the only daughter of Mr. nad Mrs. L. Grant, a Cardiff merchant. James Rousseau is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rousseau of Morinville.

On New Year's eve Orest Trach left Cardiff to return to his station in St. Hubert, Que. His trip back was by aeroplane, much in contrast to his journey here which was hitch hiking.

Some of the "kids" from Cardiff spent their holidays enjoying themselves in Edmonton — Roddy Richel and Olga Hryciw.

Others, however, came home for the brief holiday. These were Melvin and Lloyd Rockwell and Edna Saunders who left here to go to her home in Entwistle.

NORMANDEAU NEWS

NORMANDEAU — Mr. Louis Turgeon is advancing in the construction of his new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Turgeon have the pleasure to have with them for the Christmas holidays their daughter, Mrs. Albert Morin, her husband and her two daughters. Claire and Denise from McLennan.

Mrs. August Charest is having a visit from her brother, Mr. Ludger Emard from Eaglesham.

The midnight mass was celebrated in Normandeau by Rev. Father Menard. Christmas carols were sung and people from other parishes attended mass.

Visiting Mr. Leon and Clement Vincent is their sister, Miss Laure Vincent from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Vincent are visiting relatives in Drumheller.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Turgeon are spending their Christmas holidays with their parents in Wandering River.

A surprise party was given at Mr. Joe Lessard's on December 26.

Mr. Dave Lamoureux has returned home after spending a week in St. Catherine's hospital and still is unable to work for a while.

Mr. Lucien Morin's children who have spent two years in Edmonton have now returned to stay with their parents.

I wish the Normandeau people a very Happy New Year and lots of joy in the years to come.

KIKINO NEWS

KIKINO — Mr. Leo Thompson left this morning for Edmonton. He is going to get a tractor. He will be gone for a few days.

Mr. Cleophas Thompson went to spend the Christmas holidays with his sister and her husband at North Kotzman. He will be back home for New Year's with his wife and children we hope.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bellerose on December 24, a son.

The Christmas dance here was not as good as expected.

Miss Doris Collion expects to be a married woman in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bearrard and family are spending Christmas and New Year holidays with relatives down here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lightening had a mishap in their family. Their little boy got his arm broke.

Mr. Rhoul Lavallee went to Brasseau to spend his Christmas with his parents.

LAC LA BICHE LOCAL NOTES

LAC LA BICHE — Mrs. J. Nuppie is in Edmonton for the holidays.

Mrs. A. Arnfinsen went to Athabasca to spend Christmas with her sister and friends.

Miss Muriel Greer left Friday to enjoy Christmas at Cold Lake.

Miss Jean Hamel is going to Edmonton for the week-end.

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1949 CHRISTIANITY OR COMMUNISM?

Communism says to the Christian world, "Either you live your ideology and conquer the world with it, or we will take over." That is not an empty threat. Communism, the force that has taken over half the nations of the world—taken them over in the sense of being the directing force in their thinking, is not just a political idea—it is an ideology.

Now what do we mean by the world "ideology"? Faith is an idea that changes people, but an ideology is an idea that changes nations. The average Christian today is not living an ideology. He may have a personal faith, but it is not a burning, living, moment by moment reality.

An ideology is a belief that makes a total claim on a man's life, and on a nation's culture; that man's personal habits, who his friends are, how he spends every minute of his time, the way he spends his money, whom he marries, his home, his future, his hates, his defeats, and his dreams. Nothing less than that is an ideology.

Deep in its heritage democracy has an idea that is big enough to inspire ideological living in all its citizens. Communism demands ideological living. Can democracy hope to survive if we demand of ourselves anything less?

Atomic Scientists Investigate New Natural Law

Scientists in Britain working under the direction of Professor Blackett (who has just been awarded the Nobel Prize for his work on atomic energy) believe that they have discovered an important new law of nature.

Tests have been conducted underground both in South Africa and in Britain. The object has been to ascertain whether the magnetism of the earth increases or decreases at lower levels. A team of students from Manchester University, where Blackett is professor of physics, have been working in Britain's deepest coal mine.

Experiments in South African gold mines have suggested that the magnetism may come from the earth's crust and not from its centre. Those carried out in Britain some 4,000 feet below ground also indicate that the magnetism decreases in proportion to the distance beneath the earth's surface.

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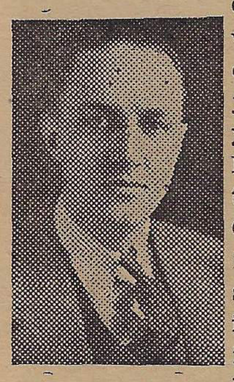
HERE and THERE

By T. W. PUE

The Story of Galahad

Some time ago, we carried an account of the early beginning of Forestburg in this column and now we present an interesting summary of Galahad, which lies between Forestburg and Alliance.

Galahad has a population of 165 and is served by the GALAHAD GUARDIAN which commenced publication just about one year ago. The Local Editor of the GALAHAD GUARDIAN is Mrs. A. Lissack, well-known in the community. Mrs. Lissack has provided us with the following summary:



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The town is built on land that was homesteaded by Mr. Art Capron. The C.N. railway went through in the spring of 1916. The first store and post office were operated by the late Tommy Watson. Some of the early settlers of the district include H. Taylor, Pete Gamroth, Matt Kuefler, D. Crinshaw, Granger families, J. Nolan, Eric Erickson, Ed. Peets and the Laing brothers.

There are two hardware stores, two general stores with quality stocks at prices which are competitive to those in larger towns, a meat market with cold storage and locker facilities, two service stations and garages, licensed hotel, and excellent White Cafe, blacksmith shop, dray business, implement and automobile dealers, drug store. The combined Post Office and Telephone Office is operated by Mr. and Mrs. George Holben. There is also an undertaking parlour, four trucking businesses, barber shop, five grain elevators and last but not least a 30-bed hospital, managed by Sisters of St. Joseph's, where the service and care are second to none.

The churches are St. Donatus Roman Catholic, German Lutheran, United Missionary, also Tincherbray United Missionary in the district.

The excellent 6-roomed brick school is staffed by four teachers.

Organizations include a branch of the Canadian Legion, B.P.O.E., Athletic Association which realized close to $3,700 in the past two years, a Girls' Guide club, recently organized, with Mrs. C. L. Pearson as leader. The Hospital Auxiliary is very active, which has resulted in the best-equipped hospital of its size in the province. A Lending Library and Rest Room have recently been added.

The town boasts a new ice rink and a two-sheet curling rink, with enthusiastic curlers; also excellent baseball and hockey teams.

A number of our boys and men served in all branches of the Armed Forces, and many paid the supreme sacrifice.

Situated directly on the Hanna-Viking highway, the town has a Board of Trade. The mayor of the town is Mr. G. A. Holben.

On the average, fair crops are harvested each year with interest shown in the growing of registered seed.

In looking after the business of the various papers published by COMMUNITY PUBLICATIONS, I find one of the greatest pleasures is to call around and visit the towns, one by one. I like to visit Galahad and feel that the GALAHAD GUARDIAN serves a useful purpose. It is recognized by the leading advertising agencies in Eastern Canada and I hope in the not too distant future, the paper will receive the same recognition by the businessmen and women of Galahad.

SPEAKER!



Margaret Ann Ireland, young Toronto concert pianist, who discussed music written by children, in an illustrated talk on Friday, December 31st, at 4:03 p.m. on CBW, 2:48 p.m. on CBK and CBX. Now only twenty, Miss Ireland has been playing the piano since she was three, and her compositions include an opera written when she was ten.

Price Stabilization Indicated in B. of C. Bank Report

Following is a press summary of the December issue of the Monthly Commercial Letter issued by the Canadian Bank of Commerce:

GENERAL CONDITIONS

In November the Bank's Index of Industrial Activity rose to 160 (1937 equals 100) from 157 in October, but one point below the level reached during the two final months of 1947. This increase was chiefly due to greater activity in the automotive trades, the index for which alone was above November, 1947, and nearly double the pre-war figure. Slight gains occurred in the food and beverage section and in wood products apart from pulp and paper. The slight increase in the non-ferrous metals section was offset by a decline in non-metallics. The iron and steel trades as a whole maintained their high level of activity, a drop in the heavy section being counterbalanced by gains in the other two groups. Other industries showed no change.

PRICES in Canada, and elsewhere, due to better supplies of consumer goods and many raw materials, have shown more diverse trends recently than at any time in the last two years. The general wholesale price index has advanced steadily since the beginning of 1946 although the rate has abated since last August. The price index of Canadian farm products, however, declined quite markedly since last June, while that of industrial materials held its own but has shown several slight recessions this year. The price indexes of raw and partly manufactured goods and of fully and chiefly manufactured goods have not risen as much, so far this year, as other sets of prices, inducating that manufacturers have apparently absorbed part of the higher costs they have had to meet. In the case of some materials in strong demand or needed for rearmament, prices may rise still higher, but the general wholesale price index does not seem to have reflected all the downward trends of certain materials which have not yet moved completely from primary to processors' markets. Present indications, therefore, point to some semblance of stabilization of prices.

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South Africa Controls Sale of Margarine

The South African government has permitted the manufacture of margarine since 1945, but because of the shortage of raw materials and the lack of machinery, actual production did not begin until 1947. The sale of margarine at a fixed price has been confined to lower income groups, and distribution is controlled through government-owned mobile markets and depots. Production quotas have been set up for the four registered manufacturers.

The margarine is sold to the public at about 27 cents a pound, and the regulations do not prohibit the use of coloring.

National Centre for Rheumatism Proposed in Britain

A scheme was submitted recently to the Minister of Health, Mr. Aneurin Bevan, for setting up a national centre in Britain for the treatment of rheumatism. It has been drawn up by the Leeds Regional Hospital Board.

The proposal envisages facilities for dealing with eight to ten thousand patients a year with free beds for 900 sufferers.

The cost is estimated at $2,000,000 which would be spread over the five years required to complete the project.

Australian Wheat

The official forecast for this season's Australian wheat crop is nearly 190 million bushels, which is 30 million bushels less than last year's record harvest of 220 million. It is still about 220 million larger than the average crop of the five years immediately preceding the war. The wheat area is roughly 13 million acres; about the same as pre-war average but 900 acres less than last year. The estimated yield is 14.6 bushels to the acre, compared with 15.9 in 1947-48 and 11.9 bushels, the pre-war average.

Chilean Wheat Surplus

It is reported that the Chilean domestic wheat surplus will be about 3.3 million bushels. Exports of the surplus to Italy, India and countries in South America are being considered. Trade circles in Chile, however, consider that this estimated surplus is too large, perhaps by a hundred per cent.

Australian Dairying

Australian total milk production in 1947-48 amounted to 1.17 billion gallons, about eight per cent more than in the previous season but still slightly below the 1938-39 production of 1.19 billion gallons.

The 1947-48 utilization of milk shows little change from that of the previous few years, 65.3 per cent of the total milk produced being used for butter making, 7.6 for cheese, 6.4 for preserved milk and 20.7 for liquid consumption (including sweet cream and ice-cream). The pre-war utilization was 77.8 per cent used for butter, 5.5 for cheese, 2.8 for preserved milk and 13.9 for liquid consumption.

British Food Imports

During 1947 Great Britain imported 2,634,806 cwt. of bacon, of which 1,962,454 cwt. were from Canada, representing 74.4 per cent of the total. Imports of cheese amounted to 3,830,029 cwt., of which Canada supplied 458,024 cwt., or 12 per cent. Imports of shell eggs totalled 1,357,568 cwt., of which 640,285 cwt. were shipped from Canada, representing 47 per cent of the total. Canada also supplied the United Kingdom in 1947 with 110,453 cwt. of dried eggs, 16 per cent of the total imported, and 14,145 cwt. of frozen eggs, representing five per cent of the total.

Faulty Butter

On December 8, 1948, an official of the Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Limited, Edmonton, Alta., Reg. No. 4289, pleaded guilty at Edmonton to having manufactured creamery butter containing less than 80 per cent milk fat, contrary to provisions of the Dairy Industry Act, and was fined $25 with costs, plus $5 fee for analysis.

The charge was laid by an officer of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

ADULTERATED FEED

At St. Boniface, Manitoba, on December 7, the Dominion Grain and Feed Company was fined $25 and costs for selling feed which was not labelled with the ingredients. The feed in question was sold as "oat chop" and was adulterated with ground eggshell.

The action was taken by a Supervisor of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, under provisions of the Feeding Stuffs Act and Regulations.

U.S. Milk Prices

Dairy product prices received by United States farmers declined from September to October, contrary to usual seasonal price increases in other years. Reductions in prices of manufactured dairy products caused a drop in price of milk for manufacturing. The average wholesale price received by farmers was $4.93 per 100 lbs. in October, compared with $4.98 in September.

The price of fluid milk has declined in October in central United States where formula prices are used; in other markets prices have remained unchanged although they usually rise during this period. Consumption of fluid milk and cream in 1948 will be around 390 lbs. per person compared with 400 in 1947 and 340, the pre-war average. Consumers' expenditures for fluid milk are still above normal in relation to their incomes.

Nobody wants a war, according to the statement of all officials and many observers; what the public wants to know is why must there be another war.

SEEDTIME and HARVEST 15

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Youth and Agriculture

The Junior Farm Club program in Canada is exerting an important influence on the development of our greatest natural resource—our rural youth. Club work teaches a greater appreciation of rural life, of improved agricultural and homemaking practices, and of the duties and responsibilities of good citizenship.

The first club was organized at Roland, Manitoba, in 1911. Under the Agricultural Extension Services of the several provinces the movement has expanded until, in 1948, there were 3,484 organized clubs with an active membership of 45,397. The Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club Work seeks to co-ordinate and develop the program across the country.

Some Interesting Facts. The Prairie Provinces are serving, through club activities, a higher proportion of the rural youth of club age, than any other part of Canada. With over a million young people of club age on farms in Canada only 1 out of every 26 was enrolled in the 1948 club program. In Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, however, the ratio last year was 1 out of 8, 1 out of 16, and 1 out of 14, respectively. Much remains to be accomplished before we equal the record of the U.S.A. where 1 out of every 4 eligible farm boys and girls is enrolled in Junior work (the 4-H Club program).

"Learning to Do by Doing". This basic principle of club work involves good local leadership, supplemented with an interesting program and adequate study material. More local leaders, prepared to give efficient and devoted service are needed if the program is to expand as it should. The trend in recent years toward district achievement days, district rallies, and district leadership conferences should make it possible to service an expanded program. The Extension Services across the country deserve a large measure of support and co-operation from all interested agencies.

Recognizing the great contribution that Junior Farm Club work is making in the training of our rural youth, and hence to the future of Canadian agriculture, the Line Elevator Companies sponsoring this Department will continue to lend their fullest support.

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Aberdeen, at the mouth of the River Dee in Scotland, is often referred to as the Granite City, for most of its buildings are of granite which looks like old parchment in the sun and like silver in the moonlight. The city, indeed, owns the most splendid granite building in the world. This is the Marischal College, the extension of which was opened in 1906 by King Edward VII to celebrate the quatercentenary of Aberdeen's University. The material used in this extension was white granite and its architecture is in the Perpendicular style. The Mitchell Tower is one of its beauties. It is 260 feet high.

The long graduation hall of the college has an heraldic window which illustrates its history. This history began in 1593 when George Keith, fifth Earl Marischal of Aberdeen founded it in the old Greyfriars monastery. When this extension was made the house in Broad Street where the poet Lord Byron lived as a boy had to be demolished.

In 1860 the Marischal College was united with King's College, which, founded in 1494 by Bishop Elphinstone, that great Scottish statesman, has much to show the visitor with its original chapel and a fine tower with an open crown and lantern. Although Aberdeen today is a city of modern streets, well planned and laid out ,the spirit of ancient Scotland everywhere predominates. There is the Cathedral of St. Machar which, begun in 1378, remained unfinished until 1552. One of its chief features is its ceiling which is reminiscent of medieval Europe for it shows the shields of the Emperor Charles V, Pope Leo X, James V and his nobles, and the bishops and abbots of Scotland.

SCOTTISH LIBERATOR

The Wallace Tower in the Netherkirkgate with its large, low steeple represents the old Scottish style of architecture and is inset curiously with the traditional figure of the "Liberator of Scotland," William Wallace, who led armies against King Edward I of England in the 13th century. The "Mercat", the Market Cross in the centre of Castlegate, which dates from 1686, has a floriated column crowned by a marble unicorn, rising from an hexagonal base decorated with medallion heads of Scottish kings. It is one of the most unusual specimens of architecture of its kind in the United Kingdom.

Aberdeen has much to offer the holidaymaker for just outside the city are fine sands and bathing beaches. Few travellers forego a visit to the harbor, which is close to the fascinating Fish Market. This is the largest fish market in Scotland with an area of 16,118 square yards. Every morning between 8 and 10 o'clock, miles of white fish are displayed, ready to be sold.

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STARS OF THE SCREEN

HOLLYWOOD — For the first time in 30 years, Barry Fitzgerald will visit Paris and other cities on the continent next summer. He also will tour his native Ireland and stop in London. Although Barry returned to Erin for a visit two years ago, he has not been in Europe since 1918. He expects to spend about two months on the junket. Barry is currently co-starring with Bing Crosby, Ann Blyth and Hume Cronyn in Paramount's "Top O' The Morning."

"Manhandled," second of Pine-Thomas' top "A" productions under the unit's new Paramount contract, went before the cameras last week. Dorothy Lamour, Sterling Hayden, and Dan Duryea co-star in the suspense melodrama with Lewis R. Foster directing. Irene Hervey and Philip Reed head the film's supporting cast.

Macdonald Carey, who recently completed a co-starring role in Paramount's "A Mask for Lucretia," left last week for New York. He will remain east three weeks during which he will make appearances on several radio network shows . . . Ann Blyth recently suffered a painful injury to her left ankle when she was accidentally kicked by another player during a rousing Irish dance on the Paramount set of the new Bing Crosby picture, "Top O' The Morning." Ann finished the scene successfully, but the injured ankle soon was swollen to twice its normal size. The studio doctor is treating her ankle daily and she will be able to continue with her role.

Approximately thirty relatives were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Bob and Dolores Hope at their home in North Hollywood. The Thanksgiving gathering of the Hope clan has been an annual event for the past eleven years—ever since Bob started his motion picture career. Bob is currently making "Easy Does It" at Paramount.

Douglas Spencer, who has been Ray Milland's stand-in for several years, has been given a key role in Hal Wallis' "Bitter Victory" at Paramount. Robert Cummings, Lizabeth Scott and Diana Lynn are co-starred in the production.

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Cookie 3.
Add ½ cup mixed red and green cherries that have been cut into eighths, then form into a roll.

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FRAINS NOTES

FRAINS. — Mrs. Pauline Kuzik came back home from Edmonton hospital where she stayed for three weeks.

The general store of Mr. Pete Luc was burned down on December 31. Nothing was saved.

Mr. Borise Shushmaruk journeyed to Edmonton by truck on business.

Mr. Felix Hewko was a business visitor in Edmonton by truck.

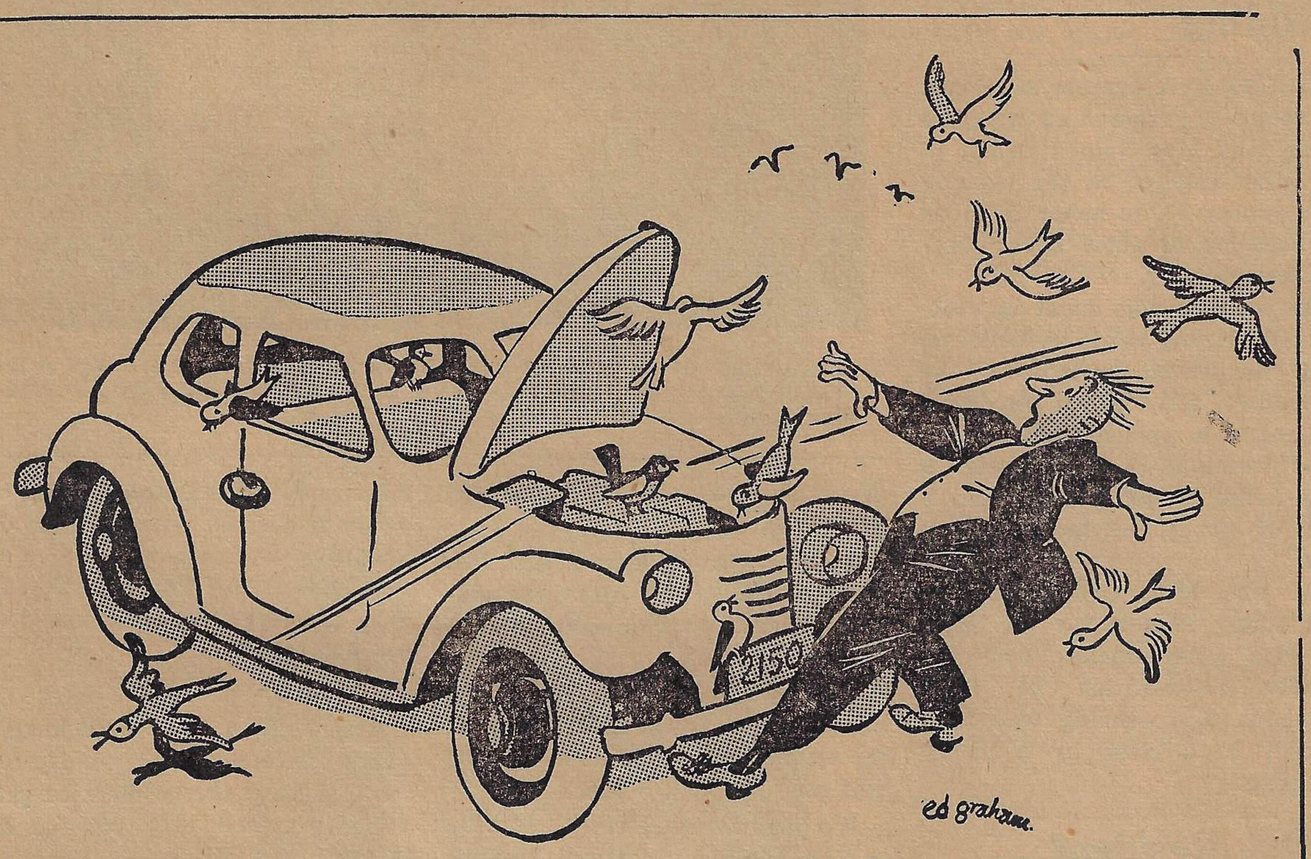
The oil surveyors came to check through the district.

The teachers returned from their holidays and are going to start school on January 3.

Mrs. Mary Kmech, Mr. and Mrs. John Shyian, Mrs. Annie and Raymond Kolach, Mr. Bill Chernewchan were in Edmonton over the week-end.

Miss Ann Holowenko, supervisor at Egg Lake, visited with her parents during the holiday.

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Morinville Couple Wed Fifty Years

MORINVILLE.—Among the original pioneers of the Morinville district, celebrated on the 25th of December their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. Tellier has been a resident of Morinville since 1891, he was 19 years of age when he arrived from the Province of Quebec. Mrs. Tellier, nee Clara Hebert, arrived from the same province in 1898.

Mr. Tellier, his father and several brothers, filed on Crown lands when they arrived. Engaged in agricultural pursuits till he retired in 1928, Mr. Tellier has also been intimately connected with the development of Morinville and its immediate district. He held for many years the position of school trustee, rural and urban municipal councillor, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Tellier had five sons and three daughters, all living: Robert, Maurice, Zephirin, Joseph, Mrs. (Lucille) Hittinger, and Mrs. (Clenise) Lavallee, all of Morinville; Sister Celina of Pincher Creek, and Lionel living in Westlock. They have 27 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mr. Tellier has one brother, Armand Tellier, living in Edmonton, and one sister, Mrs. Theodore Nobert, of Montreal.

Mrs. Tellier has two brothers, Mr. Jos Hebert of Edmonton, Mr. R. Hebert of Villeneuve, and four sisters, Mrs. R. Taupin of St. Albert, Mrs. A. Comeau of Joussard, Mrs. G. Loiselle of Colinton, and Mrs. Jos Meunier of Morinville.

In the morning the couple attended mass said in their honor in the St. John Baptist Church of Morinville. Father Tessier officiated. Hymns were sung by Carmen Tellier, Gertrude and Pauline Tellier, Lucien and Mathias Tellier. The altar boys were Bernard Lavallee and Raymond Tellier. Sister Anna Marie played the organ.

A banquet was held at noon at the Bluebird Cafe for 70 relatives. The table was laid with a cloth of white lace and centred with a decorated three-tiered wedding cake, embedded in gold tulle and topped with a small floral decoration and gold leaves. This was flanked by tall tapers in gold holders. A profusion of gold chrysanthemums, assorted carnations and yellow and red roses decorated the room. Father Tessier proposed the toast to the couple.

Mrs. Tellier received in a black crepe dress. A corsage of Talisman roses was pinned at her shoulder. In attendance were Mrs. Taupin and Mr. Jos Hebert and best man at the wedding 50 years ago.

In the afternoon the reception was held at the couple's residence. A program of songs, recitations and piano was enjoyed. Sister Celina Marie of Pincher Creek read the address. Several gifts were presented to the honored couple.

A buffet lunch was served in the evening for relatives and friends.

SEE RECORD TOURIST FLOW IN NEXT SEASON

An increased flow of U.S. tourists to Alberta is assured for 1949, according to information received by officials of the Alberta Motor Association.

Some U.S. motor clubs have reported that daily inquiries are being received as to travel conditions in Alberta and along the Alaska highway.

Recent visitors to the U.S. stated on their return that travel across the border this year had been adversely affected by reports of bad road conditions. These were due to reconstruction of some main roads leading to the national parks. Next year these roads would be ready to handle a large flow of visitors.

Attention also was drawn to the fact that the dominion government will make large expenditures to improve the parks next year. Some projects planned for 1948 have been held over until 1949.

Intense interest also has been shown in the U.S. in the Alaska highway, making it apparent that this will be a big drawing card next year.

Largest Eye Inst. Opened in Britain

A new centre for the study of eye troubles has just been opened in London. It has been formed by the amalgamation of the medical schools of three hospitals and is the largest institution in the world specialising in optical diseases.

Qualified students will come to this hospital from all over the world for training in ophthalmic medicine and surgery. It is known as the Institute of Ophthalnology and offers a wider scope for teaching and research than has hitherto been possible. It forms one of the federated institutes of the British Postgraduate Medical Federation of London University.

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MILLET — A number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Orlick of the Millet district on the evening of December 27, to honor them on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary.

The evening was spent in visiting and playing cards. A delicious lunch was served the ladies of the community, after which Mr. Thos. Bell made a presentation speech as he presented the couple with a three-tiered wedding cake and a purse of money and several lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlick thanked their many friends for the gifts and the good wishes and the friendly co-operation of their neighbors. The evening was then brought to a close by a merry sing-song.

Millet Resident Dies at Home

MILLET — Mrs. Herman Beinert passed away at her home on the evening of December 30. Death came suddenly and very unexpectedly. She had been ill at various times during the past few years but her sudden death was a surprise to her many friends in the Millet district.

She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Frederick and was born in the Millet district.

ST. ALBERT BRIEFS

ST. ALBERT.—The St. Albert Women's Institute held a very enjoyable Christmas party at the home of Mrs. C. Laderoute last Saturday evening. Mrs. J. Harrold Jr. led in an hilarious round of games and fun. Mrs. Roy Kittletz added greatly to the pleasure of everyone with a vocal solo, a beloved Christmas carol.

Besides their Christmas party they had their annual meeting, and election of officers. The new officers for the St. Albert Women's Institute now are: President, Mrs. Lawrence Barry; vice-president, Mrs. W. Sinclair; secretary, Mrs. B. H. Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. Tom Atkinson; directors: Mrs. J. Harrold Jr., Miss R. MacDonald and Mrs. Ted Atkinson.

We are pleased to hear that Mr. Hector Perron is back home after spending a few days in the hospital with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benion received at a turkey dinner the following guests: Father Gaudet, Mr. and Mrs. Benion and Mr. and Mrs. Roux of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. O. Roux of Legal and Mr. and Mrs. Curial of St. Albert.

On Christmas Eve the church was filled to capacity for Midnight Mass. The choir, under the direction of Sister St. Joseph, of the Youville Convent, rendered with splendor, a special mass of mixed voices and Christmas hymns.

Mr. Roch Lafranchise or New Westminster is spending the holiday season with his mother.

Mr. James Ronault of Maillardville, B.C., is visiting with his daughter and son here. Nice to see you again Mr. Ronault.

College and convent students of Edmonton are home for the Christmas holidays.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Strand, a daughter. Congratulato you both.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Eugene Perron is laid up at home. We hope that you will be up and around soon.

To Mrs. Rose Demers and Mr. Andrew Goulet we offer our sincere sympathy for their recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bourgeois' baby son was taken to the hospital for an operation. We hope that he will soon be back home.

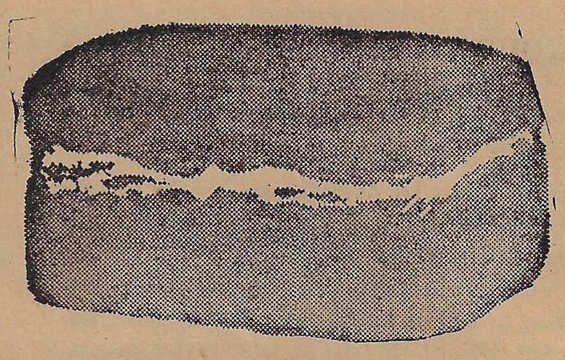
We just received word of the sudden passing of Miss Blanche Latulippe. Miss Latulippe was one of the oldest old timers of this district. She leaves to mourn one sister, Miss Ada Latulippe. To Miss Ada Latulippe we offer our deepest sympathy.

There are a few individuals in every Canadian community who really believe in the dictator principle, provided they can be dictators.

Wedding Vows Exchanged



A marriage of current interest to the Morinville district was celebrated recently and saw the Patry twins married in a double wedding ceremony.

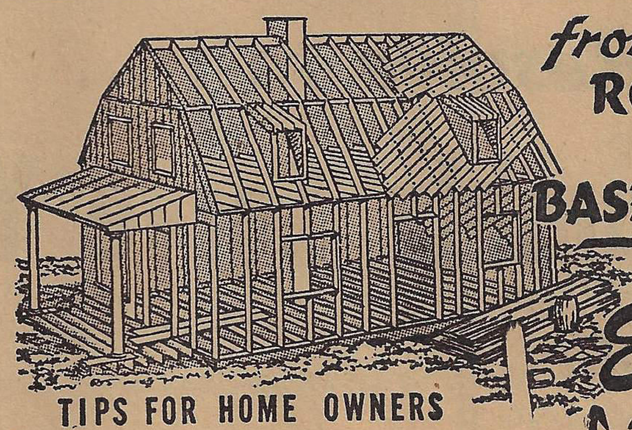


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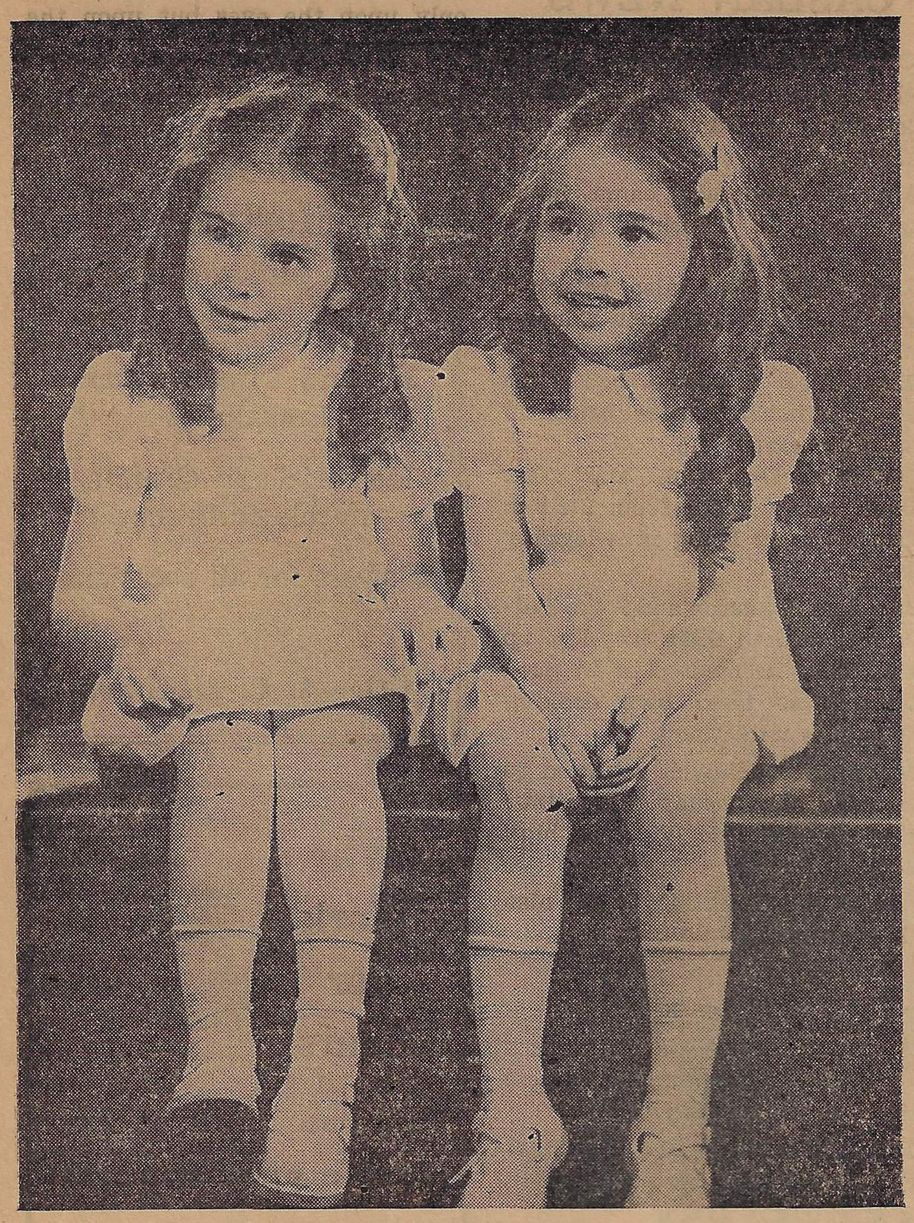
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Yes, friend, you are mistaken. These two little girls are not twins. In fact, they don't even belong to the same generation although born within an hour of each other in the General Hospital at Edmonton. Together they will be celebrating their fifth birthdays on January 27, 1949. The "Aunti" in the picture is Paulette Baert, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jules Baert of Legal. Her little niece, Claudette Jouin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Baert's son-in-law and daught, Mr. and Mrs. Lomer Gouin. Seated left to right in the picture are Claudette and Paulette in that order. Mr. and Mrs. Gouin have gone to Montreal for Christmas holidays.

New Year's Resolutions

Start the New Year with a determination to make your budget balance this year.

First plan a yearly budget. Here is a sample you can vary it to meet your individual needs and income.

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Shelter	25%
Operating	12%
Development	5%
Savings	5%
Transportation	6%
Miscellaneous	7%

Make a rough estimate of what you expect to spend each month and how you intend to spend each month's income. At the end of each month total your expenditures and find how close you have come. Here is a typical food budget that will help you break down your expenditures and it will include all the nutrients you should have in your diet.

Meat and eggs	25%
Bread and cereal	12%
Milk and cheese	25%
Fruit and vegetables	20%
Fats and sweets	18%

Other sections of your yearly budget can also be broken down if you wish. However, the important thing is to work out some kind of a budget plan and "STICK TO IT" as closely as you can. It is essential that you control your money and not have your money control you.

Before a person marries they should have saved at least half of the income that they would make in a year. This does not mean that they necessarily need to save this in one year but that they should have property or a bank account amounting to this.

Here are some tips in "Good Buymanship:"

1—Know your brands.

2—Read labels and guarantees.

3—Know your buying vocabulary.

4—If the article may need to be serviced buy it from a local dealer so that you can obtain parts and service quickly.

5—Like what you buy. Be sure to get a personal satisfaction from your purchase and don't talk yourself into things.

Most of all have a planned budget and know where your money goes and how you can economize. Know where you over spend and under spend.

Remember your family's welfare is more important than the prize stock on your farm.

Yours sincerely,
C. RUTH MURRAY,
District Home Economist.

VILLENEUVE NEWS

VILLENEUVE. — The school concert was held on December 21 in the parish hall. Both schools got together to give a splendid performance. The program consisted of several plays, music, solos and drills. In the raffle, the Baby Brownie was won by Mrs. Ronning.

Christmas was celebrated in different ways but there was one way which was enjoyed by the majority of the people. The Midnight Mass is something which is looked upon as special.

The children who were away at school were all home for the festive season. Some are returning on the third while others are on vacation until the tenth. There were also the nurses and lumbermen home for the Christmas week-end.

Britain now has 16,500 more teachers working in schools throughout the country than before the war. This was recently disclosed by the Minister of Education, Mr. Tomlinson. He has also announced that 487 new schools are being built.

ST. ALBERT BRIEFS

ST. ALBERT. — A recent wedding of interest took place on December 22. Mrs. M. Thibert was married to Mr. G. Gagman. The newlyweds reside in their new home west of the school.

Thieves broke into the residence of Mrs. Anna Chevigny and Marie Wolniewicz on Christmas Eve and ransacked the place. The residents were attending Midnight Mass while the robbery occurred.

Miss Laurette Ross is visiting frends in Tofield during the New Year's week-end.

Mrs. Armstrong of Athabasca is visiting her father, Mr. N. Ross, Sr.

The pupils of the St. Albert school gave a very successful concert in the parish hall on the evening of December 22.

The St. Albert Community League entertained the children of the community at a Christmas tree party on the afternoon of Wednesday, Dec. 23. Santa Claus distributed gifts to 400 children who were entertained with a short program. Lunch was served at the conclusion of the party.

Mrs. Hector Lamoureux of R.R. 6, North Edmonton, visited her sister, Mrs. J. P. Lafranchise, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lafranchise and Elaine were visitors in St. Albert last Sunday.

Mr. Jos. Rouault returned to his home at Maillardville last Friday.

Constable and Mrs. A. Rosengren and Bonnie are visiting in Red Deer.

VILLENEUVE NEWS

VILLENEUVE. — The daily school routine has begun again after a couple weeks of intermission.

A welcome home party was held for Miss Rita Lema on Wednesday of last week. A large number of friends gathered there to spend an evening of singing and dancing. All were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lema. Mr. Raymond Kremer was master of ceremonies.

Mrs. L. Durocher of Legal spent the holiday season with her children here.

Misses Alice and Cecile Laplante of Vimy were visitors at their uncle and aunt's place, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lema, for a few days last week.

On Sunday, Jan. 2, six innocent souls left their warm homes to attend a party which turned out to be a hoax. Here's why. When the first car got to the host's home, no one was up and the place was pitch-dark. The second car however was unlucky. It seems the tracks in the gateway were not good enuogh so the car got stuck. If the so-called party host can't locate a hoe, it's by the mailbox. The party-goers were victims of frozen ears and feet. Nothing serious of course.

P.S.—Gee, some people in St. Albert go to bed early!

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LEGAL NEWS

LEGAL.—Mrs. A. Potvin died on December 20 after suffering at home for many years. The funeral was the first to be held in the new church on January 3.

The Christmas collection at the church amounted to $477.80. The bazaar held about a month ago brought in a bit over $6,000.

Mr. A. Berube, cousin of Father Berube and son-in-law of Mr. Durand, passed away on New Year's Day. He had been in the General hospital for some time.

On New Year's Day Miss Adele Lamarche was driven to the hospital once more. She was reported to be quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Nap Belley are gone for a trip to Vancouver. They are expected to return some time next week.

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PLAMONDON NEWS

PLAMONDON. — Miss Claire Plamondon of Trail, B.C., spent several days here visiting in Plamondon. Claire came by plane from Trail to Edmonton along with her brother Willard and his wife and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Willard are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ovide Bosse.

Miss Alice Bosse of Edmonton also spent New Year's with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ovide Bosse. Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Bosse of Lac la Biche also spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Bosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Noe Bosse and Paul Bosse spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bosse.

Miss Yvonne Bosse of Lac la Biche and Miss Elizabeth Bosse of Edmonton spent New Year's with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Chere Chevigney and family and Mr. and Mrs. McMillan and family of St. Albert spent New Year's with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Octive Chevigney.

Miss Mary Aschaker of Athabasca, also visited over the New Year's. We hear Mary and Len also are amongst the Christmas engagement list.

Mr. Mac Young of Edmonton came by car to spend the New Year's with his wife and daughter.

All the above guests and many more attended the New Year's Eve dance here.

Mrs. Dewey Plamondon and family spent New Year's in Lac la Biche at Mr. and Mrs. Emile Richard's home.

Mr. Aristide Germain returned from hospital and reports feeling fairly well.

Wilfred St. Jean and family have moved into their new home.

Mr. Steve Gravelle returned from the city.

Mr. Ovide Plamondon is back in the district for the holidays.

Mr. Louis Chevigney is back from B.C.

News has been received that Mr. Dewey Plamondon spent Christmas with his sister, Victoreen of Duncan, B.C., whom he has not seen for 19 years. What a reunion this would be. News has been received from Dewey who is employed in B.C. that it is awful cold and lonesome out there in them there mountains.

News has been received from Paris, France, of Miss Marguerite Primeau, M.A. B.A., who is attending university, also giving a course in one of the universities, that Paris is a grand place to be, but that the cost of living is extremely high, but Marguerite says it is wonderful. Miss Primeau won a scholarship from the U. of A. which gave her this wonderful chance to visit Paris.

Mr. Damas Bouvier is visiting his parents over the holidays. Damas is a medical student at the U. of A.

NORAL NOTES

NORAL.—The oil men are very busy in the vicinity this week. They have not reached Noral yet but will be in a couple of days.

Alex Holosh and Steve Duchnych are back from B.C., where they were unable to find employment.

There was a large crowd of boys and girls at Hylo New Year's Eve dance and pie social.

George Cherniwanchan spent New Year's Eve at Lac la Biche.

George Kniazky traded his old Model A Ford for a Hudson Six at Lac la Biche on New Year's Eve.

Mr. John Phau and George Waselenchuk were at Noral for New Year's Day.

The supervisor of Noral school is back teaching again.

Mr. Harry Hansen has returned from B.C. and went to Edmonton on business.

Mr. Fred Waychuk and M. Garski were business visitors to Lac la Biche on Tuesday.

Mr. Alex Gordey and sons George and Steve visited Lac la Biche on Monday, Jan. 3.

The meat famine put the skids to the price control effort and the question that arises is who will do the sliding and how far.

CASLAN NEWS

CASLAN.—Mrs. George Waselenchuk returned home last Friday after living in Edmonton for several days.

Mr. M. Anderson came home after being in Thorhild a short while.

Mrs. John Rosa also returned home December 31 from Edmonton.

Mrs. Olga Trenchie has gone back to Thorhild after being in Caslan for some time.

Mr. Steve Duchnych and Alex Holash came home from British Columbia after being in a logging camp.

Mr. Sam Johnston and Mike Patrick returned to their trap-line up north. They seemed to be in good condition, so their own cooking must agree with them.

Mr. Mike Duchnych returned to Edmonton on Tuesday to continue his studies at the Victoria high school.

Albert and Edna Meyer are also In Edmonton.

VENICE NEWS

VENICE.—Many holiday visitors were seen in the district.

Miss Lydia Macor of St. Micheal, B.C., is home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Macor.

Tony Bonifacio of Edmonton was here for the Christmas holiday.

Mr. Bert Hebert and Donat Larose were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Piquette on their way to Legal from Imperial Siding camp.

Mrs. Johny St. Jean and Yvette of Bear Lake were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Biollo for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Piven of Noral visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Biollo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Piquette, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Piquette and family, Mr. Alside Piquette of Plamondon were all visitors at the home of John Piquette.

Mr. Julie Keehn from Hodgson camp was visiting his son Charles at Venice.

We all spent a beautiful evening at the school children's Christmas concert at the Venice parish hall. The Christmas tree was beautifully decorated and Santa Claus was very generous. He was well appreciated by all the children. Thanks to the teacher, Mr. Wm. Sachko, who prepared such a wonderful program.

The Girls' Sewing Club of Venice held a meeting at the Venice parish hall on December 30, and started working on their costumes.

Arthur Biollo was in Edmonton on business.

Eye-witness accounts usually tell only a part of the truth and the amount revealed depends not only upon the eyes but upon the intellect involved.

Tempting Dishes



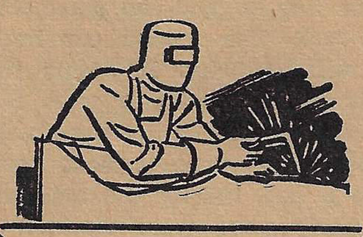
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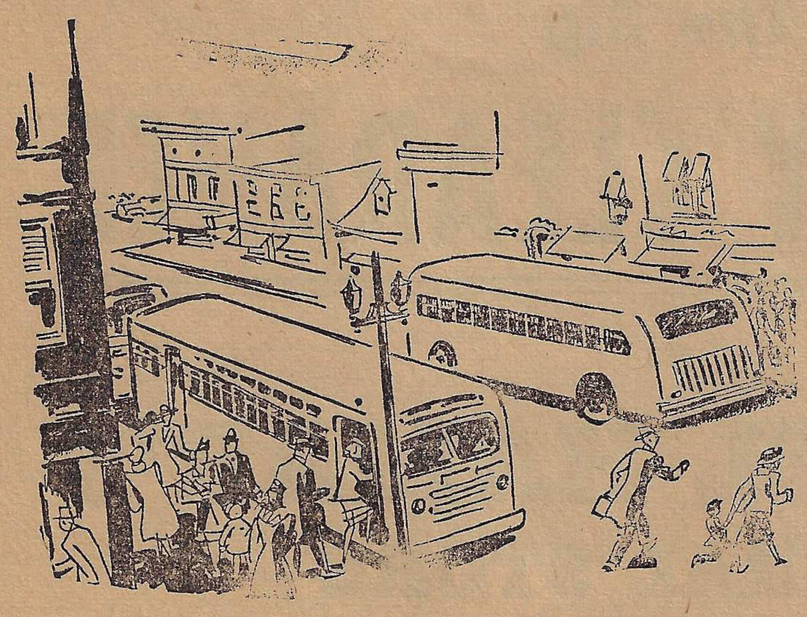
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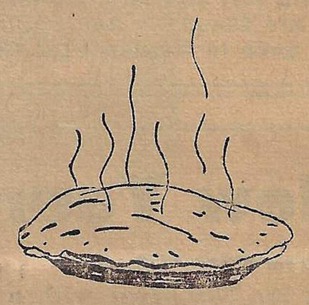
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South Africa Controls Sale of Margarine

The South African government has permitted the manufacture of margarine since 1945, but because of the shortage of raw materials and the lack of machinery, actual production did not begin until 1947. The sale of margarine at a fixed price has been confined to lower income groups, and distribution is controlled through government-owned mobile markets and depots. Production quotas have been set up for the four registered manufacturers.

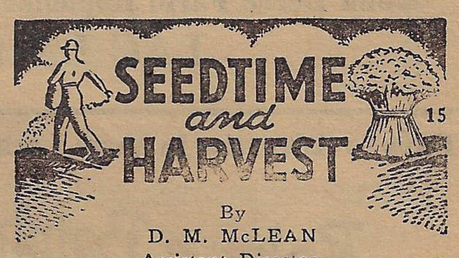
The margarine is sold to the public at about 27 cents a pound, and the regulations do not prohibit the use of coloring.

National Centre for Rheumatism Proposed in Britain

A scheme was submitted recently to the Minister of Health, Mr. Aneurin Bevan, for setting up a national centre in Britain for the treatment of rheumatism. It has been drawn up by the Leeds Regional Hospital Board.

The proposal envisages facilities for dealing with eight to ten thousand patients a year with free beds for 900 sufferers.

The cost is estimated at $2,000,000 which would be spread over the five years required to complete the project.



By
D. M. McLEAN
Assistant Director,
Line Elevators Farm Service,
Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Youth and Agriculture

The Junior Farm Club program in Canada is exerting an important influence on the development of our greatest natural resource—our rural youth. Club work teaches a greater appreciation of rural life, of improved agricultural and homemaking practices, and of the duties and responsibilities of good citizenship.

The first club was organized at Roland, Manitoba, in 1911. Under the Agricultural Extension Services of the several provinces the movement has expanded until, in 1948, there were 3,484 organized clubs with an active membership of 45,397. The Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club Work seeks to co-ordinate and develop the program across the country.

Some Interesting Facts. The Prairie Provinces are serving, through club activities, a higher proportion of the rural youth of club age, than any other part of Canada. With over a million young people of club age on farms in Canada only 1 out of every 26 was enrolled in the 1948 club program. In Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, however, the ratio last year was 1 out of 8, 1 out of 16, and 1 out of 14, respectively. Much remains to be accomplished before we equal the record of the U.S.A. where 1 out of every 4 eligible farm boys and girls is enrolled in Junior work (the 4-H Club program).

"Learning to Do by Doing". This basic principle of club work involves good local leadership, supplemented with an interesting program and adequate study material. More local leaders, prepared to give efficient and devoted service are needed if the program is to expand as it should. The trend in recent years toward district achievement days, district rallies, and district leadership conferences should make it possible to service an expanded program. The Extension Services across the country deserve a large measure of support and co-operation from all interested agencies.

Recognizing the great contribution that Junior Farm Club work is making in the training of our rural youth, and hence to the future of Canadian agriculture, the Line Elevator Companies sponsoring this Department will continue to lend their fullest support.

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Australian Wheat

The official forecast for this season's Australian wheat crop is nearly 190 million bushels, which is 30 million bushels less than last year's record harvest of 220 million. It is still about 220 million larger than the average crop of the five years immediately preceding the war. The wheat area is roughly 13 million acres; about the same as pre-war average but 900 acres less than last year. The estimated yield is 14.6 bushels to the acre, compared with 15.9 in 1947-48 and 11.9 bushels, the pre-war average.

Chilean Wheat Surplus

It is reported that the Chilean domestic wheat surplus will be about 3.3 million bushels. Exports of the surplus to Italy, India and countries in South America are being considered. Trade circles in Chile, however, consider that this estimated surplus is too large, perhaps by a hundred per cent.

Australian Dairying

Australian total milk production in 1947-48 amounted to 1.17 billion gallons, about eight per cent more than in the previous season but still slightly below the 1938-39 production of 1.19 billion gallons.

The 1947-48 utilization of milk shows little change from that of the previous few years, 65.3 per cent of the total milk produced being used for butter making, 7.6 for cheese, 6.4 for preserved milk and 20.7 for liquid consumption (including sweet cream and ice-cream). The pre-war utilization was 77.8 per cent used for butter, 5.5 for cheese, 2.8 for preserved milk and 13.9 for liquid consumption.

British Food Imports

During 1947 Great Britain imported 2,634,806 cwt. of bacon, of which 1,962,454 cwt. were from Canada, representing 74.4 per cent of the total. Imports of cheese amounted to 3,830,029 cwt., of which Canada supplied 458,024 cwt., or 12 per cent. Imports of shell eggs totalled 1,357,568 cwt., of which 640,285 cwt. were shipped from Canada, representing 47 per cent of the total. Canada also supplied the United Kingdom in 1947 with 110,453 cwt. of dried eggs, 16 per cent of the total imported, and 14,145 cwt. of frozen eggs, representing five per cent of the total.

Faulty Butter

On December 8, 1948, an official of the Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Limited, Edmonton, Alta., Reg. No. 4289, pleaded guilty at Edmonton to having manufactured creamery butter containing less than 80 per cent milk fat, contrary to provisions of the Dairy Industry Act, and was fined $25 with costs, plus $5 fee for analysis.

The charge was laid by an officer of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

ADULTERATED FEED

At St. Boniface, Manitoba, on December 7, the Dominion Grain and Feed Company was fined $25 and costs for selling feed which was not labelled with the ingredients. The feed in question was sold as "oat chop" and was adulterated with ground eggshell.

The action was taken by a Supervisor of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, under provisions of the Feeding Stuffs Act and Regulations.

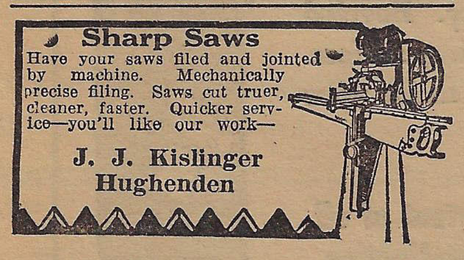
U.S. Milk Prices

Dairy product prices received by United States farmers declined from September to October, contrary to usual seasonal price increases in other years. Reductions in prices of manufactured dairy products caused a drop in price of milk for manufacturing. The average wholesale price received by farmers was $4.93 per 100 lbs. in October, compared with $4.98 in September.

The price of fluid milk has declined in October in central United States where formula prices are used; in other markets prices have remained unchanged although they usually rise during this period. Consumption of fluid milk and cream in 1948 will be around 390 lbs. per person compared with 400 in 1947 and 340, the pre-war average. Consumers' expenditures for fluid milk are still above normal in relation to their incomes.

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ABERDEEN

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The long graduation hall of the college has an heraldic window which illustrates its history. This history began in 1593 when George Keith, fifth Earl Marischal of Aberdeen founded it in the old Greyfriars monastery. When this extension was made the house in Broad Street where the poet Lord Byron lived as a boy had to be demolished.

In 1860 the Marischal College was united with King's College, which, founded in 1494 by Bishop Elphinstone, that great Scottish statesman, has much to show the visitor with its original chapel and a fine tower with an open crown and lantern. Although Aberdeen today is a city of modern streets, well planned and laid out ,the spirit of ancient Scotland everywhere predominates. There is the Cathedral of St. Machar which, begun in 1378, remained unfinished until 1552. One of its chief features is its ceiling which is reminiscent of medieval Europe for it shows the shields of the Emperor Charles V, Pope Leo X, James V and his nobles, and the bishops and abbots of Scotland.

SCOTTISH LIBERATOR

The Wallace Tower in the Netherkirkgate with its large, low steeple represents the old Scottish style of architecture and is inset curiously with the traditional figure of the "Liberator of Scotland," William Wallace, who led armies against King Edward I of England in the 13th century. The "Mercat", the Market Cross in the centre of Castlegate, which dates from 1686, has a floriated column crowned by a marble unicorn, rising from an hexagonal base decorated with medallion heads of Scottish kings. It is one of the most unusual specimens of architecture of its kind in the United Kingdom.

Aberdeen has much to offer the holidaymaker for just outside the city are fine sands and bathing beaches. Few travellers forego a visit to the harbor, which is close to the fascinating Fish Market. This is the largest fish market in Scotland with an area of 16,118 square yards. Every morning between 8 and 10 o'clock, miles of white fish are displayed, ready to be sold.

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Lv.	11:15	a.m. CLYDE	Ar.	6:20	
Ar.	11:05	CLYDE	Lv.	6:25	
	10:50	Nestow		6:40	
	10:40	Tawatinaw		6:50	
	10:30	Rochester		7:00	
	10:15	Perryvale		7:15	
	10:02	Meanook		7:28	
Lv.	9:55	COLINTON	Ar.	7:35	
Ar.	9:45	COLINTON		7:50	
	9:30	Pine Creek	Ar.	8:00	
	9:00	Boyle	Lv.	8:30	
	8:37	Donatville		8:53	
	8:15	Grassland		9:15	
	8:03	Atmore		9:27	
	7:53	Gourin		9:37	
	7:40	Plamondon		9:50	
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HOLLYWOOD — For the first time in 30 years, Barry Fitzgerald will visit Paris and other cities on the continent next summer. He also will tour his native Ireland and stop in London. Although Barry returned to Erin for a visit two years ago, he has not been in Europe since 1918. He expects to spend about two months on the junket. Barry is currently co-starring with Bing Crosby, Ann Blyth and Hume Cronyn in Paramount's "Top O' The Morning."

"Manhandled," second of Pine-Thomas' top "A" productions under the unit's new Paramount contract, went before the cameras last week. Dorothy Lamour, Sterling Hayden, and Dan Duryea co-star in the suspense melodrama with Lewis R. Foster directing. Irene Hervey and Philip Reed head the film's supporting cast.

Macdonald Carey, who recently completed a co-starring role in Paramount's "A Mask for Lucretia," left last week for New York. He will remain east three weeks during which he will make appearances on several radio network shows . . . Ann Blyth recently suffered a painful injury to her left ankle when she was accidentally kicked by another player during a rousing Irish dance on the Paramount set of the new Bing Crosby picture, "Top O' The Morning." Ann finished the scene successfully, but the injured ankle soon was swollen to twice its normal size. The studio doctor is treating her ankle daily and she will be able to continue with her role.

Approximately thirty relatives were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Bob and Dolores Hope at their home in North Hollywood. The Thanksgiving gathering of the Hope clan has been an annual event for the past eleven years—ever since Bob started his motion picture career. Bob is currently making "Easy Does It" at Paramount.

Douglas Spencer, who has been Ray Milland's stand-in for several years, has been given a key role in Hal Wallis' "Bitter Victory" at Paramount. Robert Cummings, Lizabeth Scott and Diana Lynn are co-starred in the production.

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"There is real hope of rebuilding a functioning system of world trade," said Mr. H. D. Burns, president of the Bank of Nova Scotia, at the one hundred and seventeenth annual meeting of the bank. "Britain and certain other European countries have made substantial progress in restoring their production and trade. The European Recovery Program is providing the essential time to press ahead their individual and joint plans of recovery."

At the same time, Mr. Burns stressed that "there is still a long way to go before most overseas countries reach a position in which they are likely to ease their import and exchange restrictions. Unfortunately, the problems of payment remain and, even with the vital assistance of the European Recovery Program, most overseas countries continue to be extremely short of dollars and are restricting their dollar expenditures accordingly. This has already had a serious impact on Canadian trade."

"Our trading problem is not simply a question of balancing our receipts and outlays of U.S. dollars. Fundamentally, it is one of keeping overseas markets for export produce for which we cannot expect to find adequate or lasting markets on this continent. Grain, part of our lumber, fish, and some manufactured goods, to mention a few examples, need overseas outlets if our production capacity is to be used to advantage and if we are to maintain a high level of activity."

Stating that European Recovery is still the primary task, Mr. Burns emphasized that Canada's interest in such recovery is even broader than that of keeping markets, "important as that is." It involves "our hopes of peace and of the building of a workable international system. Weakness and internal dissention in Western Europe invite Russian aggression. Until the countries of Western Europe, working together and aided by this continent, succeed in establishing satisfactory and orderly economic conditions and a greater degree of political unity, there is little prospect that the Russian pressure will subside."

"In these circumstances, it is particularly important that we on this continent endeavour to keep our affairs in good order so that we may play our full part in world recovery and in defence of the way of living which emphasizes the rights and worth of the individual. Preparations for defence in Canada as in the United States will naturally tend to prolong inflationary pressures at least in some directions. More money will be needed and, though taxes remain high, no great relief in the burden of taxation should be expected. We cannot enjoy the full fruits of peace-time prosperity in an unsettled world."

Mr. Burns went on to say that increased saving and individual restraint would be most helpful at this time in contributing toward more stable economic conditions. "Our standard of living is high by any past comparison and there are many citizens who are in a position to increase their savings. From an individual point of view the old-fashioned virtue of thrift provides protection for the rainy day that is bound to come and is an excellent personal discipline."

Noting that 1948 has been another year of record-breaking activity in Canada, Mr. Burns stated that there has nevertheless been "growing evidence of a closer balance between demand and supply. Were it not for defence considerations, one might express the view with some degree of confidence that we were close to the peak of the post-war inflationary movement. As matters stand, the business outlook is a mixed one, in some directions one of growing shortages, and in others one of marketing problems overseas and at home. We shall be well advised to maintain a questioning attitude in regard to the ecenomic outlook."

"There has been a welcome and substantial improvement in the official reserves of gold and U.S. dollars, resulting in part from the restrictions on our outports from the United States. An even more important factor has been the remarkable increase in the value of our exports to the United States—an advance of over $300 millions in the first nine months of 1948. The other major factor is the advent of the European Recovery Program with its provisions for offshore purchases."

Mr. Enman, general manager, reviewed changes in the bank's business and in Canadian financial developments. He also referred to the subject of nationalizing the chartered banks. "In my opinion, the question is simply this: would the public interest be better served by a nationalized banking system than by the present type of system? Nationalization is surely not an end in itself."

In discussing this question, Mr. Enman pointed out that "the banking system is carefully regulated by the provisions of The Bank Act and subject to basic control by the Bank of Canada. This method of regulation and control works well and can be adapted to changing circumstances and extended if necessary.

"Government - ownership of banks would replace the present competitive system a monopoly. Monopolies are usually less responsive to the public interest because there is no one ready to take their business away from them if they do not function efficiently," and government monopolies even less so "since they are not subject to the threat of government intervention and control." Under a government monopoly of banking, "the customer would simply have to take what service or treatment was forthcoming. We have yet to find a stronger incentive to efficiency than the spur of competition."

Mr. Enman went on to say that the political danger of nationalization overshadowed all others. There is no doubt that government ownership of the banks would place tremendous power at the disposal of the political party which happened to be in office. The fact of enormous power would be there —"power to withhold credit, power to interfere with the privacy of personal affairs, power to bring political opponents into line or even to ruin them, power enough indeed to undermine the democratic system and to perpetuate the political control of the party in power. The temptation to use such power would be great and sooner or later it would be used."

"It is surely up to the advocates of nationalization to explain just how it is proposed to use such a great concentration of power and, most important of all, how the rights of citizens would be protected in its use and from its abuse. This latter point takes a lot of explaining, for there is nothing in history nor in common sense to suggest that it can be done."

MOVIE CRITIC!



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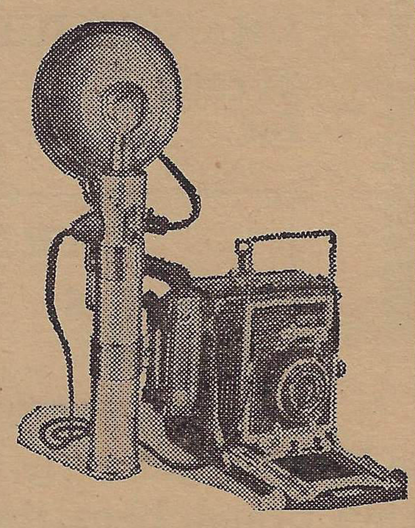


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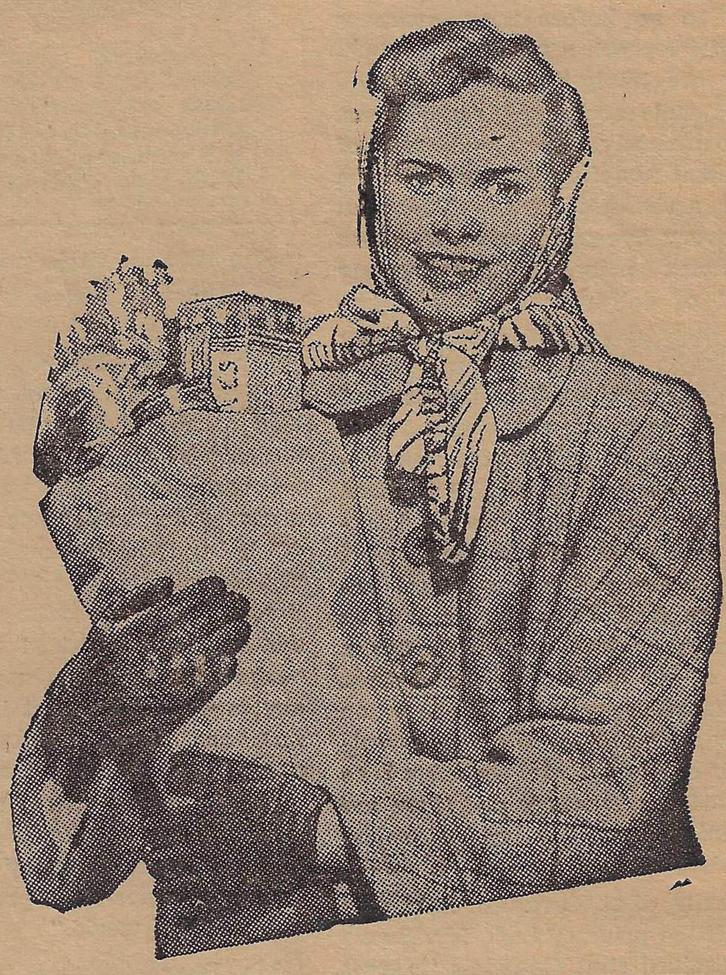
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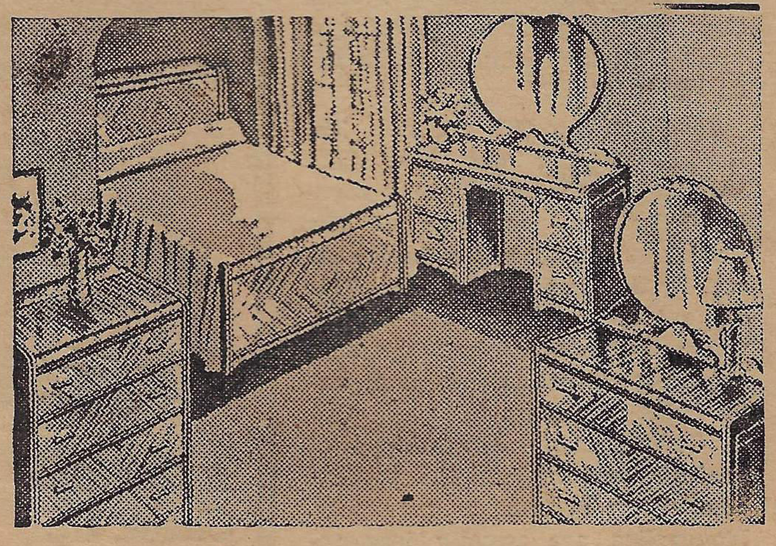
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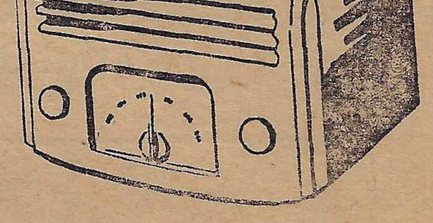
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